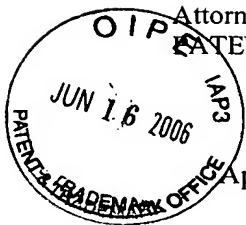


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amend the drawings as follows:

**Remarks** begin on page 2 of this paper.

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